In the Court of Appeals of the State of Alaska

Joshua Wade v State of Alaska, Appellant,

V.

Joshua Wade and State of Alaska, Appellees.

Trial Court Case No. 3AN-11-06794CI

Court of Appeals No. A-12006

Order

Request for Review of Clerk's Intention

Date of Order: 9/16/2019

The Appellant, Joshua Wade, litigated a post-conviction relief appeal in this Court. *See Wade v. State*, 2019 WL 1178733 (March 13, 2019) (unpublished). Mr. Wade was represented at public expense by an Assistant Public Defender.

After the appeal was decided, the Clerk of the Appellate Courts notified Mr. Wade that she intended to enter judgment against him for attorney's fees in the amount of \$1,500. See Appellate Rule 209(b)(6). Mr. Wade now seeks judicial review of the Clerk's decision. Mr. Wade asserts that he should not have to pay the amount of the judgment because he is indigent and without any support from family or the community and that paying any amount of the judgment would be an extreme hardship.

Appellate Rule 209(b)(6) requires indigent appellants whose convictions are affirmed on appeal to reimburse the government some of the cost of the attorneys who represent them at public expense. Because Mr. Wade's conviction was implicitly affirmed in this appeal, Mr. Wade is required to reimburse the government some of the cost of the attorney who represented him at public expense.

The decision of the Clerk is AFFIRMED.

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